A Ball for Daisy PreK Lesson Plan

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*Introduction:* Ask children if they have a friend.

Ask children if they have a pet? A dog?

Introduce story ~ This is a story about a dog who makes a friend.

Open the book and show the children that there are not any words.’

Ask them for ideas how to read the book. Explain how we can

“read” or create a story by looking at the pictures.

*Read:* A Ball for Daisy ( move slowly through pictures reminding students to look at each picture)

*Comprehension:* Ask children to retell the story in their own words. Help them with the sequence of events in the story.

How was Daisy feeling when the ball popped?

What happened at the end of the story?

How was Daisy feeling then?

Tell me about her friend? Was her friend a good friend? Yes/no

Why?

*Extension Activities:*

*Art:* Draw a picture of your friend. Use the following prompts:

My friend is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. I like to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with him/her.

*Writing activity:* Photocopy a picture of Daisy.

Have children create a story about Daisy. (Students may look at the book to generate ideas of needed)

Teacher will write children’s version of their Daisy story.

Students will then illustrate picture incorporating the photocopy of Daisy.